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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF:	GARO J. DERDERIAN	EXAMINER:	DAVID P. TUROCY
APPLICATION NO.:	10/683,606	ART UNIT:	1762
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FOR:	**APPARATUS AND METHODS FOR PLASMA VAPOR DEPOSITION PROCESSES**		

Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance

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Sir:

In the Notice of Allowability mailed September 17, 2007, the Examiner allowed claims 1-3, 9-11, 13, 14, and 18-20. Although the applicant's attorney agrees with the Examiner's conclusion that these claims are allowable, the applicant's attorney notes that the claims may be allowable for reasons other than those identified by the Examiner and does not concede that the Examiner's characterizations of the terms of the claims and the prior art are correct.

Respectfully submitted,
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